XXXVIIIth CONGRESS ... First Session. SKNATE. WASHINGTON, Dec. 22, 1863.

\*\*CLARGYMEN AND THE DRAFT.\*

Mr. COWAN (Un., Pa.) presented petitions from Connecticut in favor of the exemption of elergymen from the operations of the draft.

\*\*CODIFICATION OF THE STATUTES.\*\*

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Mr. Sun-ce (Un., Mass.) gave notice of a bill to provide for the revision and codification of the statutes of the United States.

THE INDEBTIONESS OF KANSAS.

Mr. POMEROY (Un., Kansas) gave notice of a bill relative to the assumption of the indebtedness of Kansas.

THE PACTICE RALLEGOD.

Mr. ANTHONY made a motion that a Select Committee of nice members, upon the Pacific Railroad, be appointed. Agreed to

Mr. LANE (Un., Ind.) said elergymen were among

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. THE POST-OFFICE APPROPRIATION BILL.

Mr. STEVENS from the Ways and Means Committee reported the Post Office Appropriation Bill which was made the special order for the 6th of January.

THE CAEMACK AND RAWSEY CLAIM.

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Mr. Wilson proposed an amendment, offering to persons who may enlist in any of the Secreed States the benefit of the provisions of this act. After a few remarks he withdrew the amendment temporarily. The billies over.

Mr. JGHNSON (Con. Un. Md.) called up the House resolution for adjournment from Wednesday, and a vote twas taken with the following result; yeas, 27, mays, 15, as follows:

Yeas—Measts. Anthony, Bockalew, Cowan, Davis, Diron, Doolittle, Foster, Harris Henderson, Hendricks, Hicks, Howard, Howe, Johnson, Lane (hd.), Morgan, Neminit, Pomercy, Powell, Ramsay, Sanisbury, Sherman, Sprague, Van Winkinson, Willey and Wright.

NATS—Measts. Chander, Clark, Collaner, Conness, Feesteless, Foot, Grimes, Harding, Harlan, Morrill, Summer, Ten Eyek, Transbull, Wade and Whien.

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TUESDAY, Dec. 22-F. M. Gold opened at 1524, and has not varied materially during the morning from 152; 20152]. Stocks up-THE CAEMACK AND RAMSEY CLAIM.

Mr. HOLMAN (Dem., Ind.) from the Committee on Claims reported a resolution requesting the First Controller of the Treasury to suspend proceedings relating to the chain of Carmack and Ramsey, Involving ment; two millions of dollars, on account of carrying the mail, until further action of Cogn. So the Caemack and Ramsey, Involving the mail, until further action of Cogn. So the First Controller had already suspended action in the case.

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Mr. Dawes (Un., Mass.) inquired whether the Controller after hearing the argument had not come to a being to make upin to eake upin decision, and whether this resolution had not come from parties who had agreed to submit the question to the Controller's hand. Old not know the Controller's hand (Dem., Ind.) did not know the Controller's hand (Dem., Ind.) did not course of troller was prepared to render his judgment, and thought the Court of Claims was the proper tribunal to decide the case. After further chotate, in the course of which Mr. Morrill said that to take the subject from the Controller's hands, involved an imputation on the latter's character, the resolution was adopted—110 against 36.

THE CARMACK AND RAISEY CASE.

[Mr. HALE (Gn. N. H.), of the Committee on Claims, reported a joint resolution referring all the papers in the Carmack and Ramsey case to the Court of Claims, and it was passed.

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The total receipts of the Housatonic Road in November were:

The Boston Traveller of last evening says:

The application for discounts at the busis are said to be in creasing to a moderate extent, and founs on collateral security and in steady request. The fixetin rate of interest is 6, which is lower than that of New York by I P cent. A lively business in reported in the retail trade, which gives busin most or active direction. The share market shows fair degree 0 animation, and the buying appears to be more for investment than for speculation. The demand for Government securities is on the increase, particularly for 5-29.

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Yesterday the stock market was dull and weak, a condition of affairs produced, however, more by the indisposition of operators to take new ventures than any new developments, either political or financial. The approximate habidays always came more or less duliness, from the general desire to close accounts; en, without any news, we may rather expect a duli; if not a decliming market. Money keeps easy at about 9 great for call leans, and as far as this important item is concerned, everything is in favor of the bulks, but otherwise matters are so mostified, and the present range of prices so much higher than those which ruled a lew months ago, that buyers are timid and holders anxious to realize.

The Allanna Areas of Translant survey.

The Albany Argus of Tuesday says:

The tide water statement published below brings us to the lose of the season of navigation.
The deficiency in the receipts of Flour and Wheat reaches be large figure of 2,358,368 links of Flour. We estimate the

is about 4.070,000 bush.—But so wide a cilierence is was generally expected.

In regard to Harley, the figures show an excess of receipts for the season of 627,000 bush. The new-crop receipts are as follows:

To Bec. 1... 1,60,400 bush. 2,000,300 bush.

1st week in Bec. 270,300 mush. 402,000 bush.

2d week in Dec. 275,700 bush. 9,200 bush.

Total......2,159,400 bush. 3,100,100 bush.

Showing an excess of new crop of 930,700 bush.

We now give another set of figures, which show whence this large excess has come. They are the receipts of Barriey at the points named in 1902-63: Hugfalo. 1862. 1862. Cawago. 201,300 bash. 550 800 bash. Cawago. 967,500 bash. 1.806,300 bash. Whilehald. 655,300 bash. 1.807,300 bash.

Showing an excess in the receipts of 1863 over those of 1865 f 1,177,400 bosh. The figures at Hafrato and Oswego for 1865 The quantity of Flour, Wheat, Corn, and Bar-

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orn	22.344.200	23,709,800	20,603,600
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cef, bols		169,800	232,200
ork, bbla	ARTERIO ANAPONE.	6,732,000	3,711,600
acon, 15	615,000		5,171,500
utter	4,134,000	6,628,000	
ard	. 1,319,200	10,200,000	20,776,100
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yet most bodeers are firm at libritic, for fine State Factory, the to extra State Dairy at 124 mile, and good to fine an at 114 didge.

PETROLEUM is in less animeted demand, and is hardly so brown at the close; the spinger of activity which prevailed yesterday, particularly toward the close, on appearative account, was not general, because the same goods in the hands of different parties would not command the same prices; and this idearnd being of a first character and having partially subsided, parcinasers have consequently been enabled to obtain the article at a slight consession. The market, however, is in an anxittled condition, and the trade are evidently somewhat to stopply the legitimate wants of dealers; but the supply in the country and in Europe is in excess of the wants of the trade, and previous experience has taugit dealers that it is a had pulley to advance the price fore in one conce more closely in competition with it. Still, superior that the supply in the country and in Europe is the supply of the processing extensively recently the price of new article into this too high, for then other old hereto fore in one conce more closely in competition with it. Still, supply the processes, and carry prices higher, in order to any themselves from burses. Sales or 3,000 this. Crude at 214 MeSte, chiefly at 12 cible. See do. for January delivery, at the bayer's option, and 1,500 this. Refined at 40 CAS of the bayer's option and 1,500 this. Refined at 40 CAS of the bayer's option of 1,500 this. Refined at 40 CAS of the bayer's option of 1,500 this. Refined at 40 CAS of the bayer's option of 1,500 this. Refined at 40 CAS of the bayer's option of 1,500 this. Refined at 40 CAS of the bayer of the wooder, and our extreme rates for rime white.

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r innew hite. RICE—There is a moderate inquiry et about former rates es of 100 bags Rangoon at \$\delta\_0\$, and 250 do. Vierances o private terms.
SUI/ARS—Raw Sugirs are moderately active at about 17c. for fair Reining; sales of 700 hhds, at 11 critic for Cuba, and 12cl.14c, for New Orleans; by auction, 12 libds. New Orleans at \$11.0924-\$11.303, 4 mos.
SEEDS—The market is quiet but firm for Clever Seed at 14.0124c. Thingthy Seed is marking at \$2.504-\$2.0. American Rough Flax is former; calcs of 400 bush at \$1.200-\$1.00 pb bank of 52 lb, in Boston and New-York; and Bombay at 195.

3 95. SPELTER is firm and in fair request; sales of 40 tous Si lesian, to arrive, at Sc. & B. cash; but for parcels on the spot Sp. is asked for Silesian, and Spc. for Lesligh. TOBLACCAD—There is an active demand for Kentucky and Manufacturing very brun; sales, LSES blads. Kentucky at 12 or 72 p.; 48 bales Havana on private terms.

TIN—Ritork Tin is firm and in limited request, at 46:246 c. for Siraiks, and 4:35. for English, with cales of 5 times of the latter. Bain a is quiet but firm, at 54c. Plates are in improved demand; sales of 500 boxes. I. C. Charcool at \$10.25, and \$15.75 for I. X., and 100 tons Charcool Terms at \$13.75, cash. TALLOW is in better demand, but the market is comewhat irregular; sales of 120,000 fb. at 12:2012 for Western, Eastern and City.

ern, and City.

WHISKY is in less animated demand, and the market closes theory, with only a moderate inquiry; sales of 750 bbbs, at 91 degree for State, and 924 degree for Western.

Receipts of Produce. Dec. 22.—12,306 bbis. Plour, 155 bbis. Corn Meal, 2,366 aga do. 6,500 math. Oats, 2,500 pags. Butter, 1,300 phas. Prisisions, 316 pkgs. Lard, 316 bbis. Writsky, 181 pags. Assiss 256 to pags. Bucks next Flour, 1,036 pkgs. Petroleum, 300 Bressed

COURT CALENDAR-Tuo Day.
SUPREME COURT-General Term.—Adjourned to

EVENTS TO COME OFF. - A Fair is in progress Barley, hush, 272,760 Children of Deceased and Disabled Soldiers," at No. 334 Sixth avenue. The fair will continue three days or more, and contributions are solicited.

John W. Carrington lectures on "English Poetry" to night, at the Hall of the New-York Historical Solicity.

ciety.

A grand flag presentation to the 14th Regiment R. I.

Colored Artillery, will come off on Christmas night, at the Abyssinian Baptist Church. Mr. Stephen Massett, otherwise "Jeems Pipes," will

PROPLE'S UNION GENERAL COMMITTES.—At a meeting of the First Ward People's Union Association, hast evening, the following delegates to the People's Union General Committee were elected, with power to fill vacancies: Matthew T. Beirne, William Stokely, Lyman Fisk, Bartholomew Coleman, Thomas J. Riley.

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which he deems superior to any hitherto offered to the FFMALES! FEMALES! FEMALES!

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Latest Ship News.

Prize bark Saxon, of Cape Town, C. G. H., in charge of Acting Master E. S. Keyser, Angra Pequina, W. C. A., Nov. I. Was captured by the U. S. steamer Vanderbilt.

Brig Mary Alice (Br.), Hardy, River Gambia, W. C. A., Nov. 21, index to Brett, Son & Co.

Brig Victoria (Br.), Davidson, Salt Cay, T. I., 7 days, via Delaw are Breakwater, salt to J. F. Whitney & Co. Had very heavy weather the entire passage.

Brig Planeer (Br.), Byrnes, Malage 37 days, passed Gibraltar Nov. 19, find to Daniel Starr.

Schr. Tropte Bird (Br.), —, Trinickel, Cuba, sugar, &c., to H. Barnotorff & Co.

WIND—Samet, N. N. E.

BELOW.

Schr. Kate Brigham Grounds), from ——

WIND—Sunset, N. N. E.

Schr. Kate Brigham (1 mosts), from—
Schr. Scepter (hr.), from Belite, Hom., 20 days.
Also, one brig unknown.
SAILED—Steamship Saladin.
MEMORANDA.

Pour Louis, Mauratries, Nov. 4, 1863.

The ship Julia Lawrence (before reported) has been surveyed, and the estimate of repairs having been taid before the captain, be decaded to condemn her. She was ancardingly solid on the 15th uft for \$12,000. Her cargo will be taken forward to Falmouth by the sinp Wild Hunter. The ship Thomas W. Sents was so boally damaged that it would have been impost ble to repair her except at great expense. She has been condemned and sold for \$4.500.

[By lotter to Eiweod Walter, esq. Sec. F.d. of Underwr's.]

METROPOLITAN BANK, No. 108 Broad-SUPREME COURT—Special Term.—Adjourned to Duc. 29.

SUPREME COURT—Circuit.—Part I.—Calendar United States far, no or after MNDAY, Jan. 4, text.

The Transfer Books will be closed on Zid inst., and opened one as on Monday. Part II. and III.—Adjourned for the Transfer Books will be closed on Zid inst., and opened on Jan. 7, 1864. By order. Belmbold's Medicines.

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In one of which the patient may expire. Who can say they
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public. The testimony of Prof. Terrey, given in our advertising columns this morning, is entitled to great weight, and he has corroborating testimony from other gentlemen of scientific distinction. See his card.

Bull's Head.—The close of the cattle market

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See Medico-Chirurgical Review, published by EENJAMIN TRAVERS, Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons.

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